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ABSTRACT

MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT – KAZIS ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) – Extension of tenure of Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan, Kothacheruvu Village and Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District for a further period of ten (10) years w.e.f. 12.01.2023 for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only – Notification – Orders – Issued.

MINORITIES WELFARE (IDM-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.43 **Dated:06/03/2024**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.8, Minorities Welfare(IDM) Dept., dt:12.01.2017.
2. G.O.Rt.No.66, Minorities Welfare (IDM) Dept., dt:17.05.2022
3. From the Collector and District Magistrate, Sri Satya Sai District Lr.Rc.No.184/B/DMWO/2023, dated:25.01.2024.

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In the G.O. first read above, Government has appointed Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o. K. Habeeb Khan of Kothacheruvu Village, Ananthapuramu District as a Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal, Ananthapuramu District initially for a period of three(3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only. Further, Government has extended his tenure as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal w.e.f 12.01.2020 to 11.01.2023 vide G.O. second read above.

2. In the reference second read above, the Collector and District Magistrate, Sri Satya Sai District has submitted a proposal for extension of tenure of Sri Kolimi Abdul ayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan, Kothacheruvu Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal along with the reports of the Tahsildar, Kothacheruvu and the District Minorities Welfare Officer, Ananthapuramu (erstwhile) and the Station House Officer, Kothacheruvu PS stating that Sri Kolimi Abdul Quyyam Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan is residing in D.No.2-79, Basavanna Katta Veedi, Kothacheruvu Village and belongs to Patan(OC) Community. The applicant has completed Moulvi and Hafiz Course and he has well known the facts about the duties of Kazis and other religious rituals of Muslims and performing Nikhas. The Principal Muhammadans of local area have given their consent to appoint Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal. The Muslim Population of the Kothacheruvu Mandal is 3199 as per 2011 census. The applicant has not involved in any Civil or Criminal cases, as per the Police verification certificate issued by the Station House Officer, Kothacheruvu PS. Finally, the District Collector, Sri Satya Sai District has requested the Government to extend the tenure of Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan, Kothacheruvu Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal for the period of (10) years instead of (03) years.

3. After careful examination of the proposal of the Collector & District Magistrate, Sri Satya Sai District, Government hereby extends the tenure of Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan, Kothacheruvu Village and Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District, as per Section (2) of Kazi's Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only, for a further period of ten (10) years w.e.f.12.01.2023 subject to the following conditions:

1. The Kazi is answerable to the Government for his actions.
2. The appointment of the Kazi can be revoked by the Government on receipt of complaints/verification of records or in extreme cases without notice, if malafide is established as per record.
3. The Kazi shall not indulge any illegal activity in the conduct of marriages nor infringe any law established by the Government.
4. The Kazi shall not carry out marriage of any minor.

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5.The Kazi shall not act in any way which is prohibited in Islam or is not permissible in Islam.
6.The Kazi shall not conduct contract marriages.
7.The Kazi or his Naib Kazi shall not perform any marriage, in any area, beyond his specified Jurisdiction.
8.The Kazi shall charge the specified fee and nothing more than that.
9.The Kazi shall appoint not more than three (3) Naib Kazis and the names of such Naib Kazis shall be informed to the Government.
10.Government shall have the right to take disciplinary action against the Kazi, in case of any contravention of Law or of any conditions specified above.
11.The Kazi shall hand-over the Marriage Record to the Wakf Board, at the end of the tenure.

4. If any question arises whether any person has been rightly appointed as Kazi under the above said Section, the decision thereof by the State Government shall be conclusive. The State Government may, if it thinks fit, suspend or remove any Kazi appointed under this Section, who is guilty of any misconduct in the execution of his Office, or who is for a continuous period of six months absent from the local area for which he is appointed, or leaves such local area for the purpose of residing elsewhere, or is declared an insolvent or desires to be discharged from the office, or who refuses or becomes in the opinion of the State Government unfit, or personally incapable to discharge the duties of office.

5. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette: -

NOTIFICATION

"In exercise of the powers conferred under Section (2) of the Kazis Act,1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, after consulting the Principal Muhammadan residents of local area, hereby extends the tenure of Sri Kolimi Abdul Qayyum Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan, Kothacheruvu Village and Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District as Government Kazi for Kothacheruvu Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District, for a further period of ten (10) years w.e.f.12.01.2023 for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only".

6. The Collector and District Magistrate, Sri Satya Sai District / the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada, shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KATI HARSHAVARDHAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Kolimi Abdul Quyyam Khan, S/o K. Habeeb Khan R/o D.No.2-79,
Basavanna Katta Veedi, Kothacheruvu Village and Mandal, Sri Satya Sai District
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